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Applicant : ALLA V. REDDY et al  
Filed : September 19, 2003  
Title : FEMALE CONDOM  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF PREVIOUSLY FILED  
PETITION TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THIS  
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION WAS TIMELY FILED  
AND PROPERLY CLAIMS PRIORITY TO  
APPLICATION SERIAL NOS. 60/411,989 AND 60/411,994,  
AND  
REQUEST FOR CORRECTED OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT  
THAT IS  
APPARENTLY LOST BY THE PATENT OFFICE**

Sir:

A review of the PAIR system of the Patent Office indicates that Applicants' Petition to to Acknowledge that This Nonprovisional Application Was Timely Filed and Properly Claims Priority filed on April 30, 2004, apparently was lost by the Patent Office since no record can be found. Therefore, a copy of the document submitted on April 30, 2004 is being submitted once again along with the mailroom date-stamped receipt indicating that they were received by the Patent Office on that date.

Appl. No. 10/664,861  
Request for Consideration of Previously Filed  
Petition dated April 15, 2005

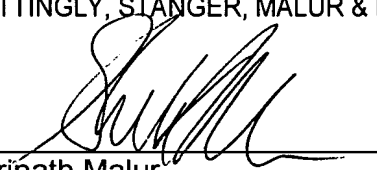
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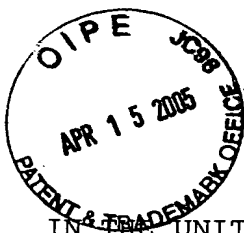
Applicant requests that the documents be entered and that a corrected Official  
Filing Receipt be issued.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-  
1417 for any fees that are deemed necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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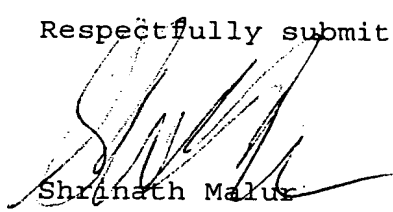
Due to the closure of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on Thursday, September 18, 2003 and Friday, September 19, 2003, the present application was filed on Monday, September 22, 2003. The present application claims priority from two provisional applications, Serial Nos. 60/411,989 and 60/411,994, which were filed on September 19, 2002. However, since the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office was closed on Friday, September 19, 2003, and since Friday, September 19, 2003, was declared a "federal holiday within the District of Columbia", this application was timely filed and should be

permitted to claim priority to the earlier filed provisional applications.

The Official Filing Receipt mailed on March 19, 2004, failed to acknowledge the provisional applications. Subsequently, on March 25, 2004, Applicants filed a Request to Correct the Official Filing Receipt. This Request was denied in a Response mailed April 8, 2004.

This action by the Patent Office has necessitated the filing of this Petition. It is believed that no fee is necessary, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1417 for any fees that are deemed necessary.

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Papers Filed Herewith:



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TO APPLICATION SERIAL NOS. 60/411,989 AND 60/411,994,  
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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed, as  
identified in connection with the above-identified patent  
application.

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